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The Honorable Anthony C. Beilenson  
Chairman  
Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mr. Chairman:

Section 15 of the CIA Act of 1949, 50 U.S.C. §403o authorized the Director of Central Intelligence to form a group of uniformed protective officers for Central Intelligence Agency facilities. Under that authority, the Director established the Security Protective Service. As noted in the legislative history, the Agency is expected to notify the Intelligence Committees before deploying protective officers to additional locations. This letter is intended to serve as the notice that the Agency will deploy its own Security Protective Service at a new location beginning on or about 1 December 1989. [redacted]

At the time the statute was enacted, the limited number of available personnel and extensive training requirements dictated that the Security Protective Service be initially deployed at [redacted] locations. The need for Security Protective Service Officers at other Agency facilities, however, has continued to increase, and Security Protective Officers have been placed at several other Agency facilities in the Washington, D.C. area since the inception of the Security Protective Service. In a continuing effort to meet the need for protective services, the Director of Security has ordered that the Security Protective Service be deployed to an additional Agency facility. [redacted]

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As recruiting and training of additional personnel is completed, the Agency anticipates that it will continue to deploy additional Security Protective Officers to other Agency facilities in the area. All such deployments are, however, contingent on the availability of qualified personnel. If additional deployments are made in the future, the Agency will, of course, notify the Intelligence Committees. [REDACTED]

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This letter is also being provided to Ranking Minority Member Hyde and Chairman David Boren and Vice Chairman William Cohen of the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence. [REDACTED]

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